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VI. RESPONSE FROM INDIVIDUAL MEMBER STATES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RESOLUTION 49/21 C

By the end of October 1995, the Secretary-General had received information regarding the implementation of resolution 49/21 C from three additional States.

C. Finland

Between 21 December 1994 and 24 May 1995 Finland provided a total of 10.010 million markkaa in cash contributions to emergency assistance programmes in Burundi and to regional assistance programmes for the victims of the Rwanda/Burundi emergency through the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the World Food Programme (WFP), the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, World Vision, the International Committee of the Red Cross and the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies.

D. Italy

During the period under review, Italy has provided $3.5 million of emergency assistance to Burundi, in coordination with UNICEF, WFP and several Italian non-governmental organizations working in Burundi. Assistance has been directed mainly to programmes relating to displaced persons.

E. Japan

Throughout the period under review, assistance provided by the Government of Japan in response to the regional crisis, in pledges and contributions, amounted to $44,730,000 ($42.1 million through international organizations, about $680,000 as bilateral assistance and about $1,950,000 in food aid and material).